

**NON-PROVISIONAL
UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

**PROTECTION OF SOFTWARE CODE FROM UNAUTHORIZED USE
BY EXECUTING PORTIONS OF THE CODE IN A SECURE COMPUTER ENVIRONMENT
SEPARATE FROM THE ENVIRONMENT THAT EXECUTES
THE REMAINING PORTIONS OF THE CODE**

which is a continuation of copending Application No. 09/873,351, filed June 5, 2001, which in turn is a continuation of U.S. Application No. 08/983,461, filed May 4, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,266,416, which was filed as a national stage application under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of International Application No. PCT/NO96/00171, filed on July 10, 1996.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 19 pages.
- ☒ Copy of "Declaration and Power of Attorney" form from prior U.S. Application No. 08/983,461.
- ☒ Copy of "Revocation and Appointment of Attorney by Assignee" from prior U.S. Application No. 09/873,351.
- ☒ 12 sheets of drawings (formal).
- ☒ Name of Assignee: SOSPITA AS
- ☒ Certified Copy of Norwegian Application No. 952795 filed July 13, 1995 is filed in prior U.S. Application No. 08/983,461.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A, and cited references.
- ☒ Other: Copy of Petition for Extension of Time in parent U.S. Application No. 09/873,351.

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In Re.:	Patent Application of Sigurd Sigbjørnsen et al.	: Group Art Unit: 2133
Conf. No.:	6866	: Examiner: T. Jack
Appln. No.:	09/873,351	:
Filed:	June 5, 2001	:
Title:	PROTECTION OF SOFTWARE AGAINST USE WITHOUT PERMIT	: Attorney Docket No. 10532-4U1

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to and including January 7, 2004 for responding to the Office Action mailed July 7, 2003. A continuation application was filed on January 6, 2004 in response to the Office Action.

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